

MOTHER FOUND DEAD WITH CHILD IN BED

Woman Apparently a Suicide Left
Note Asking Husband to Care
for Little One.

STONINGTON, Mass., Jan. 12.—Mrs. Anna M. Perkins, wife of a physician, and her nine-year-old daughter Dorothy, were found asphyxiated by gas in bed in the early morning on that date. The body of the mother was found on the outside of the house. Mrs. Perkins left a note asking her

WILL PROTECT SEABRIGHT. Government Is Asked to Build Breakwater for Resort.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Survey of the river and ocean at Seabright, N. J., as the first step in construction of a breakwater which would protect future storm disasters, was provided in a bill introduced to-day by Representative Seelye. The Mayor and Council of the city appealed to Senator McCrindle for aid in securing a Government breakwater.

BOUGHT "RARE" BOOKS AT FABULOUS PRICES; SAYS HE WAS "STUNG"

Jeweller Had Race With J.
Pierpont Morgan, He Says,
and Regrets That He Won.

Keeping up with the expensive tastes of the late J. Pierpont Morgan was no easy job for Aaron V. Frost, a Fifth avenue jeweller, who ventured to buy a half dozen sets of "special limited and de luxe editions" of rare books, the value of which were almost priceless. In his race to outdo Morgan in collecting an exclusive library, Frost found the shelves in his apartment at No. 128 Central Park West filled with the following volumes which, the book agent through whom he bought them said, were "choice and rare."

Ten sets of the "Bibliophile's Library," Frost says he was told the volumes were worth \$2,100. He paid \$1,100 on account and then learned, he says, that the set was not worth more than \$800. In addition, he says, he wouldn't show the volumes to Anthony Comstock because the stories therein are very naughty. He further says George B. Barrie & Sons, society book dealers, in West Forty-seventh street, ought to be ashamed of themselves for putting out such books.

A set of volumes entitled "Readings and Romances," the agent told Frost, were worth \$2,000, but the jeweller says they are not worth \$200. He bought twelve sets of a limited

edition of Balzac, handsomely bound and printed on the best Japan paper. The agent, whom Frost says was Henry Sewell, employed by Barrie & Co., told the jeweller the Balzac volumes were in great demand. One set had been sold to a rich Philadelphia man. The agent, so Frost says, told him that Morgan was buying for set No. 2, so Frost contracted to take the set "Edition Magnifique" for \$10,000. Frost paid \$1,000 down and then found out, he says, that the set was not worth \$600.

One set of "Ainsworth, Commemorative Edition," value set at \$2,000 by the agent, was purchased by Frost, paying \$200 down. The set was not worth more than \$100, he alleges.

Then came a set of books—"The Queens of England"—for \$5,000, but now that he knows what they are, Frost says he wouldn't give more than \$200 for them.

When Frost found out just what the books were he demanded that Barrie & Co. take them back and refund the money he had paid down on them. They brought suit against him for \$20,000. In reply Frost brought a counter-suit for \$4,000 and again offered to give the books back.

5,000 Homeless by Fire.

VENICE, Italy, Jan. 12.—The village of Castel Guglielmi was destroyed to-day by fire ignited through the overturning of a stove. The three thousand residents escaped personal injury.

ROYAL LENTILS

More nourishing than beans and more digestible.

THE COMMON SENSE WAY TO A Clear Skin AND GOOD COMPLEXION

Unpleasant, unsightly, dirt-clogged pores, pimples, blackheads, and a blotchy, muddy complexion.

The skin is not a mere covering for the body, but has important work to do. It is the body's waste matter, rid of the lungs and kidneys, and the most important of them is the skin. It is the body's waste matter, rid of the lungs and kidneys, and the most important of them is the skin.

If we look at our skin through a magnifying glass, we see hundreds of tiny pores. How tiny they are! They are so tiny that we could not see them with the naked eye.

A dirty skin is a sign of a dirty body. A dirty body is a sign of a dirty mind. A dirty mind is a sign of a dirty soul. A dirty soul is a sign of a dirty God.

When the pores are free from dirt and sweat, the skin is clear and healthy. When the pores are clogged with dirt and sweat, the skin is dirty and unhealthy. When the pores are clogged with dirt and sweat, the skin is dirty and unhealthy.

When you get up in the morning, after washing your face and hands, dry very lightly. While they are still damp, rub a little Vaseline in thoroughly. Then take a dry towel and wipe off the skin. It is not absorbed.

Before going to bed at night, bathe the face and hands in warm water, dry off most of the moisture. Then rub in a more generous quantity of Vaseline than in the morning. Take a dry towel and wipe off the skin.

Then let your mirror show you how much clearer, fairer and fresher your skin is, and how much softer and whiter your hands are.

You will find a day's use makes an improvement—a week's regular use a wonderful difference.

At your druggist's, in collapsible tubes, 25c each.

STERN BROTHERS

Forty-second and Forty-third Streets, West of Fifth Avenue
Motor and Carriage Entrance on Forty-third Street

Will hold To-morrow, on the Fourth Floor, their

Annual Clearance Sale of Bric-a-Brac and China

With Large Price Concessions in

Exceptionally artistic Bronze and Marble Statuettes, Busts, Groups, Porcelain Vases, in large sizes; Clocks and Clock Sets, Small Bronzes, Dutch Silver, Limoges Enamels, Miniatures and Jewel Boxes; Electroliers, including styles for Deaks, Boudoirs and Dining Rooms; Imported and Domestic Lamp and Candle Shades.

Rich English China, the productions of Minton, Hammersley, Wedgwood, Doulton, Foley and Crown Sutherland Potteries; also Ginori, Limoges, Dresden, Russian, Carlsbad and Bavarian China Plates, Tea and Bouillon Cups and Saucers; also Richly Decorated Glassware, English and Swedish Rock Crystal.

There has also been arranged for To-morrow, a Very Important Sale of

INNOVATION Wardrobe Trunks--On the Fourth Floor

As the quantity of each size and style is limited, mail or phone orders cannot be accepted.

The trunks are the regulation 45-inch, with 5, 6, 8 and 10 hangers on one side and drawers on the other. In addition, will be included a number of superior trunks bearing the Stern Brothers' label, which were made by two of the foremost trunk makers and represent the best work in Wardrobe Trunk construction and equipment.

"Innovation" and "Stern Brothers" Wardrobe Trunks, \$17.50, 29.75, 39.50
Regular Prices \$25.00, 45.00 and 65.00

"Innovation" All Hanger Trunks, "Innovation" All Drawer Trunks
Sale Prices, \$20.00, 35.00 Sale Prices, \$25.00, 40.00
Regular Prices, \$30.00, 50.00 Regular Prices, \$35.00, 55.00

"Innovation" and "Stern Brothers" makes of Hat, Dress, Shoe, Steamer and Cabin Trunks; Men's Hat Boxes at Correspondingly Low Prices.

The following Highly Important Sales

will be continued To-morrow:

Pre-Inventory Clearance of Oriental Rugs,

Annual January Sales of French Lingerie,

Corsets and Brassieres,

Women's House Gowns and Negligees,

Misses' and Children's Underwear.

STERN BROTHERS

have in preparation for Wednesday, January 14th,

A Remarkable Offering of

Women's Reliable Furs and Fur Garments

At Extremely Low Prices

Also an Extraordinary Special Sale of Men's, Youths' and Boys' Clothing

representing an extremely advantageous purchase from a number of manufacturers of strictly high grade clothing.

Offering values not heretofore equalled by this house or surpassed elsewhere

Details will appear in Tuesday's evening papers.

The John Wanamaker Store Semi-Annual Silk Packet Sale

Commences Tomorrow, Tuesday, at 8:30 o'clock
More Than 19,000 Open Silk Packets in Lengths Varying from
Small Pieces for Trimmings up to Patterns for Waists,
Dresses and Opera Wraps

115 kinds of silk in almost full assortment of colors.
In addition nearly all the one-of-a-kind remnants scissored off in
our very busy Silk Rotundas during the last six months.

This Semi-Annual Silk Packet
Sale is our Clearing House for all
remnants.

This year the Silk Packet Sale
also includes small lots and incomplete assortments, from fifty silk
manufacturers and importers whose
silks are regularly represented in
this store.

Every silk packet is backed by
our usual silk guarantee.

One Thousand Waist Lengths
at the rate of 68c to \$1.95 Yard.
Regularly \$3 to \$6.50.

Thirteen Thousand Dress
Lengths at the Rate of 50c to
\$7.50 Yard, Regularly \$1 to \$25.

All the silks are classified as far as possible. Black silks on one table, plaid
silks on another, brocades on another, velvets on another, silk suitings on another,
and so on.

Every Silk in This Sale is Lower in Price Than Ever Before Offered

All silk duvetyne, 40 and 42 inches wide, regularly \$6.50, now \$1.95 yard
Water spot-proof foulards, regularly \$1 and \$1.25, now 58c yard
Crimpled crepe, 40 inches wide, regularly \$2.50, now \$1.50 yard
Canton crepe, 36 inches wide, regularly \$2.50, now \$1.25 yard
Crimple crepe, regularly \$1.85, now \$1.10 yard
Chiffon velvet, 40 inches wide, regularly \$6, now \$2.85 yard
Silk duvetyne, regularly \$8.50, now \$2.85 yard
Brocade velvet, regularly \$10 to \$18, now \$6.50 yard
Tinsel silks, regularly \$12 to \$25, now \$7.50 yard
Black charmeuse, 40 inches wide, regularly \$3, now \$1.50 yard
Black satin de chine, 40 inches wide, regularly \$2.50, now \$1.25 yard
Black foulard, 40 inches wide, regularly \$1.50, now 75c yard
Brocade crepe satin, 42 inches wide, regularly \$6.50, now \$1.95 yard

Main floor and Subway floor, Old Building, and Subway Entrance, New Building.

5,000 Samples from Manufacturers

25c, 38c, 50c, 85c a Piece

Made to Sell at \$2 to \$12 Yard

Three-eighths to five-eighths of a yard in a sample. Plenty of the beautiful
brocades and other fine silks of this season. Enough for fancy work or for trimmings in
a piece.

Partly because of general conditions, this Fifth Silk Packet Sale is composed of
silks lower in price and higher in value than we ever have been able to offer heretofore.

NOTE—Some few of these patterns show marks of handling; in such cases they are
clearly marked imperfect, and the price is low enough to make them interesting.
Practically every silk fashionable this season is represented in this sale.

Every Winter Suit, Gown & Wrap

IN THE WOMEN'S STORE

Will Be Offered at Interestingly
Low Prices Tomorrow, Tuesday

Already the new things are coming!
To make ready for the Spring inflow we have marked the winter garments at
prices which will rapidly clear our stocks.

The Coats, for Instance

A group of beautiful wraps of brocades,
plush and velour; some with fur collars; originally \$78 to \$500, now \$27.50 to \$300.
Velvet wraps, originally \$87.50 to \$275, now \$35 to \$98.
Coats of plain and mixed fabrics, originally \$45 to \$98, now \$15 to \$75.
Evening wraps, originally \$45 to \$125, now \$15 to \$75.

All were actually made to sell at the higher prices. Because of the mild winter
the makers could not sell them at the fair regular prices. They came to us.

In mid-December we took one large lot of
these coats. They sold immediately.
At these prices we can hardly get enough
coats to satisfy all our customers. They are

Coats of fancy wool velour, some with fur
collars, were \$75 to \$225, now \$50 to \$125.

Coats of plain velour, soft and wooly, originally
\$39.75, now \$27.50.

800 Fur Fabric Wraps

Regularly \$20, now \$12.75

Regularly \$25, now \$15.50

Regularly \$30 and \$35, now \$18.75

the best looking and most luxurious wraps we
ever knew at the prices. Some at \$18.75 have
real fur collars.

Second floor, Old Building

ONLY THREE HACKETT, CARHART STORES LEFT

Stocks from our Harlem store,
which was closed for good Saturday,
have been distributed in
our three remaining stores.
The lowest prices prevail on the
highest grade men's clothing
ever placed on sale in New York
City. The remaining Hackett,
Carhart stores must close with-
in a short time. The creditors'
extension has but a short time
to run, and then Hackett, Car-
hart & Co., Inc., Retail, will re-
tire from business. Everything
must go regardless of cost.

\$15 to \$35 Overcoats and Suits for Men

NOW

\$8.50

AND

\$12.50

WINTER WEIGHT OVERCOATS FOR MEN AND YOUNG MEN

Blue Chinchilla Storm Ulsters
Blue Chinchilla English Overcoats
Gray Chinchilla Convertible Collar Overcoats
Brown Chinchilla English Guard Coats
Chinchilla Belted Back Models
Shawl Collar Overcoats
Large Roomy Motor Coats
Zibelines and Vicunas
Black and Oxford Kersey Chesterfield Models
Black and Oxford Melton Chesterfield Overcoats
Black and Oxford Velour Chesterfield Overcoats
English Split-Sleeve Overcoats
London Guard Coats
Convertible Collar Overcoats
Friezes and Tweeds in English Models
Single and Double Breasted Models; All Fabrics

WINTER WEIGHT SUITS FOR MEN AND YOUNG MEN

Silk Lined Models in Many Fabrics
Blue and Black Pencil Stripe Suits
Shepherd and Club Check Suits
English and Scotch Tweed Effects
Patch Pocket Models, All Fabrics
Blue Serges in All Models
Worsteds, Cheviots
Newest Colors in Handsome Worsteds
Saxony Cassimeres
Silk Mixtures in Conservative Models
Swagger Single and Double Breasted Models
Grays, Browns, Heather Mixtures and Finest
Velours

\$2.00 Hackett, Carhart & Co. make
plain and silk striped Madras Shirts,
soft and laundered cuffs, all sizes. **79c**

Collars, 45c Dozen

Arrow, Redman, Frisbie, Coon and H. C. Brands.
All sizes, 13½ to 20. Sold in doz. lots only, at 45c

Neckwear

75c and \$1.00 cut silk Neckwear, wide
open ends, finest all silk fabrics. **25c**

Hackett, Carhart & Co. Inc.

265 Broadway Near Chambers St. Opposite City Hall
841 Broadway at 13th Street Near Union Square
119 West 42d St. Near Broadway Open Evenings